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To The Editor:

Mr. Maidenburg in his coltunn (Sept. 1) voiced his and Under Secretary Harris opinion that the test ban man.

treaty would be dangerous to the United States and should ough knowledge of our detection devices and facts regarding contamination of the atmosphere due to nuclear test.

ple who are not prejudiced and who are pursuing the evi-dence offered, this freaty is imperative if we do not want to endanger the health of future generations and if we want to go shead to strive for world peace.

Let me quote from a letter received from Senator Young:

"AS A member of the Committee on Armed Services and also of the Aeronautical and Space Sciences Committee," Sen. Young wrote, 'I have listened in executive sessions to

the testimony of leading sci-entists and of Secretary Rusk and Under Secretary Harris

"Also, I have acquired thore tion devices and facts regard. ing contamination of the atmosphere due to nuclear test ing in outer space and I have. acquired from CIA officials knowledge of Soviet filiciar capability which for security reasons is not available to the public. Citizens who write opposing ratification of this treaty do not have this information available to them."

I HOPE you will let the readers of the Beacon Journal have this opinion of an expertal

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